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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)
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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
Y	TROYANO, E. et al. Monosaccharides and Myo-inositol in Commercial Milks. Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry. 1996, Vol. 44, No. 3, pages 815-817, see entire document.	1-9, 18
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